



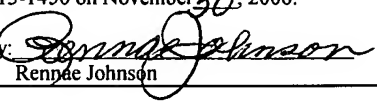
SERIAL NO. 10/798,794

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	HARTLEY et al.	Examiner:	Morales, J.
Serial No.:	10/798,794	Group Art Unit:	3766
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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on November 30, 2006.

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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 30, 2006, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, the Applicants submit the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111.

Claims 1-36 remain pending in the application. No claims have been amended, added or canceled. The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 7 of this paper.